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25X1 1. The camp in the woods along the Schmorkau-Schwepnitz road on the eastern edge of the Koenigsbrueck training grounds was vacated after 21 October. Highway 97 was opened to public traffic.

25X1 2. The following shuttle trains loaded with personnel were determined []

Date	Number of Cars	From	To
22 October	53	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder
	52	Bad Freienwalde	Gerdauen
23 October	49	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder
24 October	53	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder
25 October	53	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder
	53	Jueterbog	Gerdauen
26 October	52	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder
	54	Weimar	Gerdauen
	52	Frankfurt/Oder	Gerdauen
27 October	49	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder
	43	Kuestrin	Rathenow
28 October	57	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder
	52	Kuestrin	Drewitz
	52	Fuerstenberg	Gerdauen
	53	Bad Freienwalde	Gerdauen

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Date	Number of Cars	From	To
29 October	53	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder
30 October	54	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder
	51	Guben	Rathenow
	54	Meissen	Gerdauen
31 October	53	Gerdauen	Frankfurt/Oder

- 25X13. Between 28 and 31 October, [] eastbound cars with personnel were observed at the Guben railroad station.
4. The Hindenburg and Koenig Georg Kasernen in Plauen seemed to be vacant on 21 October. No activity was observed in the barracks yard.¹
 5. On 27 October, 8 x 76.2 mm field guns, 4 x 100 mm AT guns, 22 trucks and soldiers from the two barracks installations in Altenburg were entrained. The train probably moved north.
 6. Between 22 and 28 October, the wooded area around Ettersberg near Weimar was cordoned off. In the evening, the arrival of troops as well as other activity was observed on the northern slope. Six to eight thousand men were observed in the area.
 7. On 21 October, the two barracks installations on Schubertstrasse in Gotha were occupied by a small guard detail.
 8. Local residents from Falkenrehde, 2 kilometers south of Wustermark, and from Linum, 16 kilometers north of Nauen, stated that potato harvesting would have to be completed by 27 October because of maneuvers. A worker from the Loewen Kaserne in Doeberitz stated that the troops would leave the installation for exercises near their military post in early November.

25X1 [] Comment. According to another report, elements of the 39th Guards Rifle Division stationed in Plauen returned from the area north of Dessau on about 16 October.

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